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CONFLUENCE IS TO GET \$50,000 STORAGE PLANT

Uniontown Capital Interest ed in Big Refrigeration Concern.

CONTRACT HAS BEEN AWARDED

South Penn Building Company to Start Work on Building as Soon as Possible; To Butcher, Dress and Smoke Meat; Also to Manufacture Ice.

A \$50,000 cold storage plant is to be erected at Confluence, the contract for the building having already been awarded to the South Penn Building Company of Uniontown. Uniontown capital is largely interested in the project.

The plans were drawn in Uniontown and embrace a comprehensive refrigeration equipment. The new concern proposes to kill and dress beef, and a smoke house will be erected to cure the meat. All kinds of produce will be handled. The plant is located at Confluence largely because there are no others that exist in mountain stock growing and breeding areas. Uniontown residents are now turning to Burges McCrum, to seek him.

Those interested in the project believe that the mountain farmers of Fayette and Somerset counties will produce a sufficient quantity of cattle and poultry to make the venture decidedly profitable, while the cold storage affords a splendid market.

Ice will be manufactured and supplied to the community. Up the Confluence & Oakland branch of the Gulf Lines' Ohio and coal, extending over the State line into Maryland, a profitable agricultural community and the location of the storage plant at Confluence, it is said, will encourage stock and poultry raising.

DYNAMITERS APPEAL

Efforts to Procure Labor Men's Release on Bell Ave. Suite.

CHICAGO, Jan. 3.—Attorneys for the 32 men convicted in the dynamite plot against the Standard Oil Company at Leavenworth, Kan., appeared this morning in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals for writs of supersedeas and the release on bonds of all, excepting Herbert S. Hocklin. He will not ask for an appeal.

Judges C. G. Kohlmatz, F. E. Baker and W. H. Schlesinger, who sat on the court to hear the arguments made by Dr. H. Zolitz and Chester H. Kraus, counsel for the dynamiters, and United States District Attorney Miller, for the Government.

The judges indicated early that they would rule against Zolitz's most important point.

ADJUSTING FARES.

Baltimore & Ohio Revises Rates Which Were in Dispute.

The Baltimore & Ohio railroad has adjusted its passenger fares as recommended by the State Railroad Commission. Action by the Attorney General to require such a readjustment is referred to the commission.

Complaint was made over rates between points east and west of Connellsville which were set more than the straight fare. The readjustment is now such that the fare from points east of Connellsville and points west will not be more than the aggregate charge from the same points to Connellsville and thence to destination.

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BURGESS EVANS WILL NOT FINE TAGLESS AUTO OWNERS

Declarer Receipt for Tax is Sufficient to Satisfy His View of Law; Uniontown's Burgess Street.

Burgess J. L. Evans has made it plain that he will not fine any automobile driver brought before him for not displaying a 1913 tag if the man can produce a receipt for the tax. The 1913 tags are now driving and driving, the alternative being leaving their cars within the garage or running the risk of being arrested.

Burgess Evans declared that if an automobile owner has made application for a license and it has not arrived, the intent of the law has been satisfied.

Such a liberal view of the law is not unusual in Uniontown, where Burgess McCrum today fined the driver of Attorney A. C. Hagan's car \$10 for not displaying his 1913 tag. Burgess McCrum takes the stand that it is unlawful to operate a car without showing the 1913 tag, and that cars should not be used until the tags arrive. Persons who do not have tags, however, as well as pleasure are put to a disadvantage and Uniontown autoists are now turning to Burges McCrum, to seek him.

PHYSICIAN IS ROBBED

Instruments Belonging to Dr. Novotny of Evanson Found on Prisoner.

A pocket case of surgeon's tools and almost a dozen other surgical instruments were found on a man arrested on a suspicious character on Main Street, West Side, this morning.

The man was held in the lockup by the police. Other than a numbed finger, he gave no name. An additional charge of drunkenness was placed against him.

The pocket case, Seaman's parole and on the proposed site for a water works made no official reports.

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LOSES SUITCASE

Then Woman Finds It Again; Right Where She Left It.

Mrs. Alice Smiley, formerly of Connellsville and Columbus, Ohio, complained this morning to the police that a suit case with her clothing had been snatched from the City Hall in the city.

The police were "up in the air" over the alleged disappearance of the baggage, but the mystery was solved when Mrs. Smiley denoted her allegations and hurried back to a hotel where she had spent the night.

Mrs. Smiley said that after a futile search for her mother, Mrs. S. A. Hiles in South Connellsville, she left her house at 10 o'clock. On her return at 11 o'clock, however, it was found in her room. She left for Uniontown.

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Shortage of Finances Forces Borough Solons to Borrow \$100.

WATER WORKS PLANS HELD UP

Street Damaged by Summer's Rain Is at Last Repaired and Bill for Work Comes to More Than \$300; to Ask Connellsville to Bear a Share.

South Connellsville Council in a session last night discovered the borough did not have enough money in its treasury to pay bills aggregating \$162. Tax Collector Charles Fuehrer had \$100, and to tide the borough over the deficit, made a loan of \$100. The money was accepted upon agreement to repay him within 90 days.

The shortage in finances apparently put a damper on the meeting, for little was acted upon. Even the votes of proposed ordinances on taxing butchers and peddlers by Burgess Samuel Lett were not voted on.

The committee on Sewerage, park and on the proposed site for a water works made no official reports.

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THEIR LOGIC IS STRONG.

CONNELLSVILLE, Jan. 3.—Representative William E. Wedemeyer of the Second Michigan District, jumped overboard from the Panama liner Panama last night, committing suicide between the City of Mexico and Yucatan, capital of the State of Mexico.

The government previously had hanged 30 from poles and had left them as warning to insubordinate leaders included in the 31st of several leaders.

THEY ARE NOT TO BE TAKEN.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 3.—Representative Frank Stanley, 17 years old, of Toledo, Ohio, was found dead in the rear of the Hotel Van Buren in the city.

The police were "up in the air" over the cause of death. The body was found floating in the rear of the hotel.

Stanley was unable to work they shipped him to an uncle in New Castle; the uncle shipped him to another relative in Sharon, who shipped him to Cleveland; relatives there sent him back to Pittsburgh. He wanted to go back to Dawson but was "broken" he went back at the railroad's expense.

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CONGRESSMAN A SUICIDE.

Jumps from Panama Liner While Temporarily Insane.

Congressional Probers Trying to Find Elusive Brother of John D.

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OHIOPOLE.

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Miss Nora Totten was a shopper and visitor in Connellsville yesterday.

Dr. A. C. Corn of Connellsville made a New Year's call on town friends yesterday.

Mrs. H. T. Holt and son Thomas returned to their home here Wednesday after having made a short visit with Mr. and Mrs. Charles Stark and family at Confluence.

Dr. and Mrs. A. K. Oehrt arrived at their home here Wednesday after having spent the last two weeks with Pittsburg and Charleroi friends.

Mrs. E. S. Jackson left Wednesday for Connellsville and Uniontown to make a short visit with friends.

Boyd Fuad of Connellsville was in town yesterday.

Lester Stahl was a business caller Connellsville Wednesday.

Lucas Flynn made a business trip to Connellsville yesterday.

A very delightful New Year's party was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cunningham on Commercial street Tuesday evening. The Misses Ham as hostesses of the event. The following were the guests present: Lucy Linnemann and Oliva Cunningham; Freda Speer, Ruth Snyder, Mary Ratcliffe, Lucy Linderman, Fannie and Gwendolyn Holt, Edna and Mildred Potter, Dorothy and Irene Jackson, Anna Nicholson, Eliza Show, Delta Cerrist, Oppelia and Flora Cunningham, Mary and Bertha Ringer, Lloyd Linnemann, Walter Chuck, Fred Rafferty, Russell Holt, Cyril Witch, Roger Leek, Elmer Wolf, Bert Dotson, Gran Waters, Frank and Ross Cunningham, Joseph Wilkrot, Denzel Holt, Clyde Cunningham, Lester Faust, Sherman Nicholson, Fred Speicher, Walter Sheldon and Dennis Cunningham, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Cunningham. At the call of the New Year a merry crowd departs from the house.

OHIOPOLE, Jan. 2.—Mrs. Charles Holt spent Thursday in Connellsville shopping and visiting friends.

F. K. Baileys was in Uniontown and Connellsville Thursday.

Robert Therpe of Green Brier, was a business caller in town yesterday.

Mrs. Bertha Clark was the guest of her cousin the Rev. E. Boyer at Confluence, the first part of this week.

Mrs. Harvey Morrison and daughter, Elsie of Sugar Loaf, were shoppers and visitors in town Thursday.

Nicholas McClain arrived here last evening on train No. 14, suffering with a badly sprained foot sustained while walking on the B. & O. railroad at Connellsville.

Austin Tissie of White Corner, spent Thursday in town.

SMITHFIELD.

SMITHFIELD, Jan. 2.—Samuel G. Price, after a brief illness with pneumonia, died at his home in Georges township at 10 minutes after 12 o'clock Wednesday morning in the 78th year of his age. The funeral will be from the house Saturday at 1 o'clock. Interment in the Old Cemetery. Friends are requested to call at the residence of his wife and nine children, namely, Carrie, Mary and Nellie, Charles and William at home, Frank and Robert in Smithfield, John and P. C., Georges township. He leaves a large estate principally in lands, 200 acres in the home tract in Georges township and about 100 in the Niles, other township on the New Geneva road, a few miles from Smithfield. Thirty acres of the latter is underlaid with coal.

The first deliveries by parcel post consisting of several packages went out from this office on the first of January.

George Wolfe and wife, from out of P. D. S. were borough shoppers New Year's Day.

Ella Smiley, of Smithton; W. P. Stewart, Point Marion; Henry S. Ashmont, Farmington, W. Va. were recent arrivals at the station.

Mr. and Mrs. Metcalf were a Uniontown shoppers between trades Monday.

Mrs. Perle McAllister is ill with pneumonia.

Sylvanus Deffenbaugh and wife of Nicholson were borough shoppers in Smithfield New Year's Day.

John Martin, a prominent furrier of Franklin township, called on relatives here Tuesday and stopped over night with Mrs. J. C. Huhn, his sister.

Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Townsend of Jacobs Creek Road, called on Mrs. Hannah Abraham, Mrs. Townsend's mother New Year's Day.

Dr. W. A. Longmacker of East End, Pittsburgh, is here on account of the illness of Miss F. Mathis, his wife's sister.

PENNNSVILLE.

PENNNSVILLE, Jan. 3.—The Pennsylvania Coke Company is closing up its yard and will work preparatory to starting to fire about 20 ovens.

Miss Sue Keagy of DuBois, Cambria county, Pa., is visiting Pennsville friends.

The Rev. Bowman, pastor of the Pennsville United Evangelical church is conducting revival services here this week in the church.

William, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Miller, who has been quite ill, is improving. Pauline, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Bittner is on sick list.

Mrs. George McGeoghan and little daughter Susanna of Scottsdale, visited Pennsville friends Wednesday.

Miss Lydia Baker spent a few days this week at New Castle, Pa., visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. Andrew Bishop.

Misses Lorna and Marion Fidler, of Lincoln Place, Pa., are spending the holiday vacation visiting their aunt, Mrs. H. S. Harbaugh.

Mrs. M. L. Richey spent Thursday visiting her son, Mr. E. J. White.

Mr. and Mrs. Andrews of Albany, N. Y., are spending ten days here visiting relatives and friends.

Mrs. W. L. Purshall and son Arthur, Mrs. E. J. Ulrey and Mrs. St. Meaus were Scottsdale shoppers Thursday.

Mrs. J. M. Clark was a Connellsville shopper Thursday afternoon.

A suggestion for Tonight.

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FRIDAY EVENING, JAN. 3, 1913.

THE CAUCUS.

The political situation in Pennsylvania is much mixed. The progressive spirit proposes a lot of legislation, but promises a lot of trouble in getting ready to pass any legislation.

The progress of the nation is that there should be no Republican caucus. The caucus, according to the late Honorable Ernest Francis Achelis, "the invention of the devil." Yet it is hard to understand why it is not common sense and right reason for the Republicans of every shade of factional belief to meet together and agree upon the nomination of the Senate and the House. If they cannot agree, and if the members will not agree to sit, the situation will not be any worse if they can agree. It will be much better.

The caucus is a reasonable and proper adjunct to party government. A man should not bind his member against his conscience, but it should be respected as an obligation when it sacrifices only small things for the advancement of great principles representing the common political belief of the party members. It is a fundamental principle of our government that men sacrifice a part of their individual liberty for the purpose of safeguarding the larger and more important interests.

The Pennsylvania Legislature is Republican and should be administered by Republicans. Even the Democrats recognize this fact.

NO ROOM FOR DEAD ONES.
The Unionists, thinking for many years the Prohibition paper of Fayette county, has suspended publication because the people, it explains, will not support it.

The diagnoses concerning the death rates of this organ of one idea will be numerous and conflicting, but perhaps the most plausible explanation is passing is that the newspaper can exist in these stirring and progressive times unless it is first of all a live newspaper.

Its views on public questions may be biased in favor of the policies of a great political party, but even then they are expressed in regard to every conviction and aspiration with which it is connected. An editorial in these stirring and progressive times unless it is first of all a live newspaper.

To be a success in this section and in these times, the newspaper must above all be a purveyor of the news, and to do that with any degree of success it must have the size of its town or a county with the population of Fayette, the paper must be a daily. The people demand the news every day, and are not satisfied with it once a week.

MUD.
Editor Joey Busattock Thompson, who is Democratic and dovish, persists in publicly misrepresenting The Courier and its editor. Concerning the latter, The News says that he is aged and tottering, a victim of senile decay and decrepitude, and that he and his paper have fits and are misfits.

The abilities of the editorial staff of The Courier are not judged by its columns. The proper jury in the case is the reading public. That its verdict is in favor of The Courier is sufficiently established in the fact that The Courier is read by more than three times as many people as read The News.

The News further refers to the editor of The Courier as "Hann Sander." This is another serious error. The editor of The Courier is not a man nor is The Courier a Henney.

Colonel O'Donnell may cry, "Penc!" but how can there be any peace on Mud Island when the atmosphere reads chunk of Indiana county mud?

The Courier does not make a practice of boasting of its influence. The closest we can come to that is to say that we try to be right. But we do not hesitate to say that The Courier is the only real newspaper in Fayette county with the only real and visible circulation. We want it understood that we do not mean to be offensive to any of our esteemed contemporaries, but desire only to be right.

The News confesses to "occasional cursory perusal of The Courier." Not to mention such "cussery" comments after the perusal.

Whooping cough is just dangerous enough to make it desirable on the part of parents to protect their children from its doubtful embrace.

Connellsville capital is going for some more of that Greene county coal.

The rescue of the entombed autochthonous miners is an illustration of the fact that all knocking is not reprehensible.

We note with interest that The News has taken down the storm-beaten sign which long hung at the head of its editorial column and spelt the following mysterious legend: "Official Paper of Connellsville and the Young Region." The Official Organ having resigned the job and retired from business we welcome The News back to unadorned and unpretentious newspaperdom, with the assurance that it's more fun to be uncluttered and independent.

Pennsylvania's low death rate shows what radical science, proper sanitation and intelligent safeguards against epidemics can do.

The Steel Corporation will invade Canada. Its branch establishment there can bid defiance to Tariff Taxes and Trust Busters.

The Right Honorable William Sulzer, Governor of New York, Star-spangled spokesman and Democratic statesman, has the face of Henry Clay.

and is filled with the worthy ambition being shown this night and a Samson J. Gillan, reinforced and rolled in one. This is a big roll, but William is playing the game, and a rather skillful humor.

Foxes are scarce in the Indian creek valley, but the hunting is fine.

Name the Speaker of the Pennsylvania House and you can have him.

The News says the editor of this paper "has grown gray in gray." We regret to say that this is incorrect. Bald, son; bald, not gray.

Happy New Year!

The aspect of the retrospect is pleasing to the Connellsville region.

The Connellsville steel plant is now merely a matter of finance.

New York's New Year celebration is too progressive. It has Paris faded into the zero and yellow.

The Littleplains like Connellsville but not its atmosphere. It must be admitted that our coke is better than our climate.

Senator Joe Bailey's new song was a good old-fashioned Democratic song of opposition to new-fangled notions.

It is stated that there is plenty of room in the City Hall for the housing of the fire department. Possibly there is at present; but what of 1914?

Connellsville's lock-up had a real knock-the-party.

No attempt has yet been made to nail the garbage can.

According to President White of the United Mine Workers, the White Men's Burden is being bravely born.

Bread cast upon the waters may return by Parcels Post.

The courts are so occupied with divorce-and-alimony proceedings nowadays that a breach-of-promises case is something of a novelty.

The weather man is very fickle now that leap year has passed.

The West Virginia Senatorship is something of a free-for-all. Most of the political racers just now are of this character.

Death seems to be visiting with the Scottsdale undertakers.

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THE DAILY COURIER.

DARWIN'S THEORY IS PROVED BY SUSSEX SKULL, SCIENTISTS THINK

Gone Fragments Show Race of Apelike, Speechless Men Lived Ages Ago.

A RACE of apelike and speechless men, inhabiting England hundreds of thousands of years ago, when they had for their neighbors the mastodon and other animals now extinct, is the missing link in the chain in man's evolution, which leading scientists say they have discovered in what is generally described as the "Sussex skull." To this Dr. Woodward proposes to give the name of "anthropos," or "man of dawn."

Professor Arthur Keith says that the discovery marks by far the most remarkable advance in the knowledge of the ancestry of man ever made in England and supports the view that man was derived not from a single genus or species, but from several different genera. He goes on:

"It gives us a stage in the evolution of man which we have only imagined since Darwin propounded the theory."

Professor Keith expresses the opinion that the skull is what anthropologists have been seeking for forty years—namely, a teletary man, mankind of the piocene age, which was the beginning of the first great glacial period. He goes on:

"There is no doubt at all," he said, "that this is the most important discovery concerning ancient man ever made in England. It is one of the three most important discoveries of the sort ever made in the world. The other two were the discovery of the individual known as Pithecanthropus, made in Java in 1892 by Professor Eugen Dubois. The other, which equals it in distinctiveness and importance, is the skull discovered at Heidelberg six years ago."

The Heidelberg skull is the best dated one, for it was found at a depth of eighty feet in a formation acknowledged by every one to belong to the beginning of the pleistocene period, which immediately preceded the great ice age.

Brain Was Primitve.

"Regarding the nature of the new discovery in size of brain, it is at least equal to the brains of many individuals in living races, but the character of the brain is extremely primitive, more so than in any living race."

The next thing to notice is that the skull shows a great number of the characteristics which we see in modern man, especially with regard to the occipital region of the skull, the neck and the passage and the joint between mandible and skull, whereas in the Neanderthal man, who lived at a much later date than the Sussex woman, (it is most probably the skull of a woman), you find all these apelike characteristics.

"This supports the theory that many of us hold that in the pleistocene period there were at least two very distinct and independent species of primitive man and probably many more than two, which future discoveries will reveal."

"I agree with Dr. Smith Woodward that the human individual now discovered is an absolutely new type, and no doubt it is an extremely primitive type. Possibly he has been a little too precipitate in saying it belongs to a new genus of humanity."

Several points of interest have developed from the scientists' examination of the skull, which, by the way, they are inclined to believe belonged to a female. The chief point is the size of the brain cavity, which is estimated by Dr. Woodward at 1,970 cubic centimeters. This compares with 1,000 to 1,200 in aboriginal Australian women and 1,480 in the Oberlin skull, belonging to the pleistocene period.

In form the brain was flattened, and, as in the modern man, the left fore part of the brain was larger than the right. Another feature to which attention has been drawn is the enormous thickness of the skull. Both these are points of resemblance with the skull of the Neanderthal man.

Attention is drawn to the fact that in a host of details, such as the formation of the ear and joints of the lower jaw, the skull, unlike that of the Neanderthal man, is of the human as opposed to the apelike type. The teeth, on the other hand, must have been apelike and apelike and the formation of the chin retreating like that of a dog.

Proofs That It Was Human.

According to Dr. Woodward, there are two points which definitely and positively mark the skull as human. These are found first in the nature of the hinge for the lower jaw, which agrees absolutely with that in modern man and differs emphatically from that of apes and, second, in the presence of two conspicuous subcondylar bosses of bone at the base of the skull, known as the mastoid processes.

These are peculiar to the human race, but the bosses of bone in the Sussex man are smaller than in the higher race.

But it is not Dr. Woodward declares, till we come to an examination of the lower jaw that the full significance of the discovery becomes apparent, for, while the brain case is emphatically human, the jaw is as emphatically apelike. Found by itself it might and would be regarded as that of an ape with many human features in its go-

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In the living races of mankind the
chin is always more or less conspicuous,
the lower border of the jaw standing
well in advance of the teeth, which
are mounted vertically along its rim.

Other apelike features of the jaw are

the absence of the muscular ridge

along its inner surface, known as the

hyoid ridge, affording attachment

for the muscles of swallowing and

speech. This ridge is always present

in the human jaw.

Finally in apes two branches of the

lower jaw, where they meet in front

behind the teeth, form a sort of plat-

form, on which the tongue rests. In

man this platform has been suppressed,

thus greatly enlarging the cavity of

the mouth and rendering speech pos-

sible.

Race Lacked Speech.

It is therefore generally agreed that the skull belonged to a race of men who lacked the power of speech.

A prominent anthropologist who was interviewed said that the evidence on that point was convincing, the "speech centers" in the brain being so fully developed that brain power was prac-

tically nonexistent.

It is also clear that the front teeth,

which are missing, must have been

very large and protruding, and man

with such teeth could not talk.

Yet the back teeth must have been human teeth.

As has already been explained in

the article in the New York Times, the

Sussex skull is not entire, but the frag-

ments discovered are sufficiently com-

plete to give a fairly accurate picture of a greater

portion of the brain containing part of

the skull. The face and the greater

part of the forehead are missing, but

fortunately half of the lower jaw with

the first and second molar teeth in situ

was recovered. The front part of the

mandible also is missing, but there is

nothing especially strange about this.

There are plenty of other little girls who have ponytails. But this is a special kind of ponytail. It is the smallest pony that was exhibited at a recent great horse show in England. It is indeed not thirty inches high, and it is brown and a wavy

as a collie dog. A carriage has been

made to fit the pony's size, and the little princess is now able to go driving in the park.

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A number of coins are shown lying on a plate, piled up, taken in the left hand where they are seen, and the hand is closed over them. A handkerchief is thrown over the hand, and when removed the coins have disappeared.

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Borrow a handkerchief, show the dummy, grasp the handkerchief by the center of one side, and then spread it out over the left hand; and, while so doing throw the dummy into the right, the handkerchief, hiding it, right. Pick up the wood, in the act of which drop the dummy on the table, touch the handkerchief with it, place it under your arm and draw off the handkerchief and show it is empty.

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"Goodness me!" exclaimed Caroline, "what's the use of talking about it to me. They're the ones that propose, I don't. How can I help it?"

"Oh," said Wilfred loyally, "you can help it all right. You helped it with me."

"Well," she answered, with a queer look at him, "that was different."

"And ever since you threw me over—" he began.

"I didn't throw you over, you just went over," she interrupted.

"I went over because you walked off with Major Silsby that night we were at Drury's Bluff," said the boy, "and you encouraged him to propose. You admit it?" he said, as the girl nodded her head.

"Of course I did. I didn't want him



"Get Those Off," He Said.

Hanging around forever, did I? That's the only way to finish them off. What do you want me to do—try a plaid around my neck, saying, 'No proposals received here.' Apply at the office? Well," she continued, as the boy shrugged his shoulders, "if it doesn't make any difference to you what I do, it doesn't even make as much as that to me."

"Oh, it doesn't? I think it does, though. You looked as if you enjoyed it pretty well while the Third Virginia was in the city."

"I should think I did," said Caroline ecstatically. "I just love every one of them. They are going to fight for us and die for us, and I love them."

"Why don't you accept one of them before I die, then, and have done with it? I suppose it will be one of those smart young fellows with a cavalry uniform."

"It will be some kind of a uniform, I can tell you that. It won't be anyone that stays in Richmond."

"Now I see what it was," said Wilfred, looking at her gloomily. "I had to stay in Richmond, and—"

The boy choked up and would not finish.

"Well," said Caroline, "that made a heap of difference. Why, I was the only girl on Franklin street that didn't have—some one she was engaged to—at the front. Just think what it was to be out of it like that! I think it was our duty to help all we can. There aren't many things a girl can do, but Colonel Woolbridge—he's one of Morgan's men you know—said that the boys fight twice as well when they have a sweetheart at home. I couldn't waste an engagement on—"

"And is that why you let them all propose to you?" rejoined the youth bitterly.

"Certainly, it didn't hurt me, and it pleased them. Most of 'em will never come back to try it again, and it is our duty to help all we can."

"And you really want to help all you can, do you?" asked Wilfred desperately.

"Well, if I were to join the army would you help me—that way?"

This was a direct question. It was the argumentum ad feminam with a vengeance. Caroline hesitated. A swift blush overspread her cheek, but she was game to the core.

"Why, of course I would, if there was anything I could do," she answered.

"Well, there is something you can do." He unrolled his package and seized the trousers by the waistband and dangled them before her eyes.

"Cut those off," he said; "they are twice too long. All you have to do is to cut them here and sew up the ends, so that they don't ravel out."

Caroline stared at him in great bewilderment. She had expected something quite different.

"Why, they are uniform trousers," she said finally. "You are going to join the army?" She clasped her hands piteously. "Give them to me."

"Ish! I don't talk so loud, for heaven's sake," said Wilfred. "I've got a jacket here, too." He drew out of the parcel a small army jacket, a private soldier's coat. "It's nearly a fit. It came from the hospital. Johnny Jordon wore it, but he won't want it any more, you know, and he was just about my size, only his legs were longer. Well," he continued, as the

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girl continued to look at him strangely, "I thought you said you wanted to help me?"

"I certainly do."

"What are you waiting for, then?" asked Wilfred.

The girl took the trousers and dropped them on her knees before him.

"Stand still," she said, as she measured the trousers from the waistband to the floor. "That is about the place, isn't it?"

"Yes, just there."

"Wait," she continued, "until I mark it with a pin."

Wilfred stood quietly until the proper length had been ascertained, and then he assisted Caroline to her feet.

"Do you see any scissors about?" she asked in a businesslike way.

"I don't believe there are any in the drawing room, but I can get some from the women sewing over there. Wait a moment."

"No, don't," said the girl; "they wouldn't want to know what you wanted with them, and then you would have to tell them."

"Yes," said the boy; "and I want to keep this a secret between us."

"Where are you going to wear them?"

"As soon as you get them ready."

"But your mother?"

"She knows it. She is going to write to father tonight. She said she would send it by a special messenger, so we ought to get an answer by tomorrow."

"But if he says no?"

"I am going anyway."

"Oh, Wilfred, I am so glad. Why, it makes another thing of it," cried the girl. "When I said that about staying in Richmond, I didn't know—Oh, I do want to help all I can."

"You do? Well, then, for heaven's sake, be quick about it and cut off those trousers. So long as I get them in the morning," said Wilfred. "I guess it will be in plenty of time."

"When did you say your mother was going to write?"

"Tonight."

"Of course, she doesn't want you to go, and she'll tell your father not to let you. Yes," she continued vaguely, as Wilfred looked up, horrified at the idea; "that's the way mothers always do."

"What can I do, then?" he asked her.

"Why don't you write to him yourself, and then you can tell him what you like?"

"That's a fine idea. I'll tell him that I can't stay here, and that I'm going to enlist whether he says so or not. That'll make him say yes, won't it?"

"Why, of course; there'll be nothing else for him to say."

"Say, you are a pretty good girl," said Wilfred, catching her hand impulsively. "I'll go 'patraine' and write it now. You finish these as soon as you can. You can't use those women for some scissors, and when they are ready leave them in this closet, but don't let anyone see you doing it, whatever happens."

"No, I won't," said Caroline, as Wilfred hurried off.

She went over to the room where the women were sewing, and borrowed a pair of scissors, then she came back and started to cut off the trousers which were marked. The cloth was old and worn, but it was, nevertheless, stiff and hard, and her scissors were dull. Mrs. Varney spent their time in sharpening other things than women's tools during those days in Richmond, and her slender fingers made hard work of the amputations.

"Mr. Arrelsford!" she exclaimed breathlessly.

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"Oh," said Mrs. Varney, as she came into the room; "you haven't gone yet?"

"No," faltered the girl; "we don't assemble for a little while, and—"

"Don't assemble?"

"I mean for the party. It doesn't begin for half an hour yet, and—"

"Oh, then you have plenty of time," said Mrs. Varney. "But will we go now, sure enough?"

"Yes," said Caroline. "But will we go now, sure enough?"

She turned away and, as she did so, her scissors fell clattering to the floor.

"You dropped your scissors, my dear," said Mrs. Varney.

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